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- ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

Dear Examiner Lev:

In response to your Office Action mailed June 12, 2001 and the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment mailed October 23, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace the original Specification with the substitute Specification attached. Also attached is a marked-up version of the original Specification as required under rule 37 CFR 1.121(b)(3)(iii). Pursuant to rule 1.123, the substitute Specification contains no new matter.

In the Drawings:

Red-lined corrected drawings are included clarifying 10A, 10B and other details described in the substitute Specification.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1-20 and add the following new claims:

21. (New claim) A tree stand comprising:

a base having strap means to fasten around a tree trunk and a tree limb;
said base having a rotatable axle assembly, wherein a central rod member of the
axle assembly supports a mounting bracket above the base;